

# THE CHINOOK ADVANCE

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Chinook, Alberta, Thursday, Feb. 16th 1939

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February 21st	12:00 p.m.	CKUA Edmonton	O. S. Longman
February 22nd	6:00 p.m.	CIOC Lethbridge	W. D. Hay
February 23rd	1:30 p.m.	CFRN Calgary	F. Foulds
February 24th	1:00 p.m.	CKUA Edmonton	E. H. Buckingh
February 25th	7:45 p.m.	CFRD Grande Prairie	W. S. Smith

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## LANTERN SLIDES

A moving picture showing will be held in Chinook School on Friday, March 3rd at 8 p.m. List of films include two technicolor films. Subjects are travelogues, news and special comic for the children. Proceeds will be used for the purpose of placing a radio in the school to take benefit of the educational broadcasts sponsored by the Department of Education.

Admission: Adults .25c  
High School .15c  
Children .10c

Under the auspices of the Chinook Intermediate Room

Buckley Cough Mixture	.40c
Philips milk of Magnisa	.65c
Eno Fruit Salts	.85c
Listerine	.60c
Choice Rice 3 lbs for	.25c
Tomatoes 7 tins	\$1.00
Swifts Pure Lard 2 lbs	.26c

Lamp & Lantern Glasses, Wicks, Coal Gasolin, Lamp Mantles

## BANNER HARDWARE AND GROCERIES

## Cereal A I A Held Meeting

The Cereal A I A had the pleasure of hearing Mr. A. Newman, Dominion Livestock Fieldman, of Lacombe, discuss livestock improvements, marketing, and other matters pertaining to the industry, at a meeting held in Cereal Community Hall on February 8th. K. H. Walker, our genial District Agriculturalist of Youngs town also addressed the meeting on the fur farming industry. Owing to the extreme cold the audience was not large so another meeting is planned for a later date.

## Friendly Circle Meets

The Friendly Circle held their usual meeting on Feb. 9 at the home of Mrs. Todd. There was a fairly good attendance of members and one visitor. An amusing contest was held involving some skill in drawing, the winners being Mrs. Bayley and Mrs. Barros.

## Surprise Party

A surprise party to the members of the Friendly Circle was given by their men folks Thursday evening Feb. 9th, as a tribute of appreciation for their entertainment by the ladies at a turkey supper on Jan. 12th. It was a 'surprise' party, the men getting the ladies up to the Hotel on various ingenious excuses, where a delightful oyster supper was served.

The supper showed well the culinary skill of the men, who cooked it, served it, and washed up after it, any female showing her face in the kitchen being 'shooed' away.

Messrs W. Wilson and F. Morrell were toast masters, and the thanks of the Circle for the treat was voiced by Mrs. E. C. Pfeiffer.

Recitations were given by Mrs. L. Cooley and Mr. W. Wilson.

After supper an old time dance was enjoyed.

Mrs. R. Peyton left Monday night for Calgary, where she will visit for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rowland of Aldersyde, who have been visiting at the home of the latter's parents, left for their home on Saturday.

Miss Alice Gilbertson left on Wednesday for Hanna where she will be employed.

## Radio Jottings

HOW I BECAME A RADIO STAR  
By Frank Morgan

This is rather embarrassing I've been asked to tell you, readers how I became a radio star. Now, you know me. I'm not one to brag. I'm just a humble servant of the people.

Can I help it if everyone is clamoring for a word from me? Can I help it if so many people ask how I can be so extremely gifted in so many lines of endeavor? Can I help it if I happened to combine successfully a life of service in medicine, politics, and scientific research with brilliant careers on stage and screen?

Who said I did? You say, I said so. Why of all the nerve! Well, I'm a star on the radio, or at least I'm on the radio! Just look at my accomplishments.

To be a real success in radio, I decided I'd have to write my own script. No one else really understood me... the real Morgan, I said. When I joined the cast of "Good News—" the producers hired three fellows to be the script writers. They really just touch up the script each week after I've finished writing. Funny, though, sometimes my act on the air does not sound at all like the stuff I write. I wonder, do you suppose it's changed? The robbers! I could go on like this, telling you how I completely captured the nation after one broadcast, how I revolutionized radio comedy etc., etc.

Let my record speak for itself if it doesn't, I will!

## MUSICIAN SUPPLIES HUMOUR

Oscar Levant, who makes frequent appearances before the "Information Please" microphone over CFAC Wednesdays, 8:30 to 9:00 p.m. performs two valuable services on the program. His replies to Clifton Fadiman's questions provides a good share of the broadcast's boisterous good humour, and, whether the question concerns a minor theme of some

Messrs Louis Hohlen and Albert Marr left last week for Drumheller.

One rink from Chinook is competing in the Lanfhe bonspiel this week. The rink consists of W. Gallagher, G. Aitken, W. Barros, L. Cooley. So far they have played two games, being victorious in both.

## High School Party

Mrs. J. Charyk, high school teacher, gave his pupils an enjoyable party on Valentines day. The afternoon was spent by having contests and competitions. Twenty-one prizes were awarded besides some prizes in cash. Then refreshments of soft drinks, chocolate bars and Valentine candies were passed around. The High School take this opportunity to express their appreciation of thanks to Mr. Charyk.

seldom played concerto or a current torch song, Oscar Levant in variously knows the answer.

One of the earliest talks, "Street Girl", featured music by Levant. Later he wrote some best-sellers in England, among them the popular song 'The Moon and sixpence'.

In the line of more serious music, his works have been played by some of the country's leading symphony orchestras, including the Philadelphia Symphony. An intimate friend of the late George Gershwin, Oscar Levant played Gershwin's "Concerto in F" at the last big Gershwin concert in New York before the composer's death. At present, in addition to "Information Please" Oscar Levant has several other chores to occupy him. He is conducting "Fabled Invalid", current Broadway success, and is working on compositions both light and serious.

Four calls are used by Tarzan in the "Tarzan of the Apes" radio serial which is broadcast by CFAC. These calls, each deeply expressive of emotion and purpose, were selected from an original list of 150 different cries.

All lines of Fresh and Cured meats including Hamburger and home-made Sausage.

Poultry supplies, and laying mash for winter egg production.

Lent Will be in next week

Salmon	per lb	.16c
White Fish	10 lbs	\$1.00
Herrings	8 lbs	.50c

## Chinook Meat Market

A large group of young folks gathered at the home of Miss Iona Oden on Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday. The evening was spent in playing games after which a delicious lunch was served. All reported a most enjoyable time.

## THE LADIES' CARD CLUB MET TUESDAY

The Ladies' Card Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Gallagher. Honors went to Miss Otto and Mrs. Lee. The club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Mortimer.

## School Party

A party for the intermediate room was held in the school on Saturday night. Games were played and everyone had a very enjoyable time. Crickets, balloons, horns, hats, pop, sandwiches, and more cake and ice cream than they could eat made it a "never to be forgotten" night. After lunch, Master of Ceremonies, Jean Mortimer, received voluntary contributions from Helen, Billy, Ray, Eva and Marie.

The east bound passenger train did not reach Chinook until 7:00 a. m. Wednesday morning, four hours later than schedule time.

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# VILLAGE OF CHINOOK

## Auditor's Financial Statement

### For the Year Ending Dec. 31 1938

#### RECEIPTS

##### BALANCE DECEMBER, 31st 1937

Municipal Acct. in Bank	\$278.75	278.75
Savings acct.	1039.26	1039.26
Cemetery	16.75	16.75
<b>TOTALS—IN—BANK—CASH ON HAND</b>	<b>\$1334.76</b>	
Receipts on account Municipal Taxation		
Municipal Taxes and costs	1090.26	1090.26

1090.26

##### Advances and Charges Repaid

Unemployment and Relief By Provincial Government	174.81	174.81
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##### Municipal Revenue Other than Taxes

Licenses 37.50 & Rentals	26.00	63.50
Interests on Savings acct.	11.40	11.40
Tax Sale Surplus Com P.Gov't	.69	.69
Sundries	.15	.15

75.74

##### Trust Moneys Received

Social Service	25.51	25.51
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##### Outstanding Cheques or Overdrafts, Dec. 31, 1938

Municipal	109.95	109.95
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TOTAL \$2811.03

#### PAYMENTS

##### Outstanding Cheques or Overdrafts, Dec. 31, 1937

Municipal	\$83.17	\$83.17	\$83.17
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##### ADMINISTRATION

Salaries Sec.-Treas 200.00, Assessor 25.00, Audit 2.76	227.76
Returning Officer 4.00	4.00
Bond Premium 5.25	5.25
Printing, Postage and Stationery 57.38	57.38
Office Expenses 3.75	3.75
Telephone .65c	.65
Destroying Dog 1.00	1.00
Sundries 43.50	43.50
	\$208.79

##### GRANTS—AID & RELIEF, HEALTH

Old Age Pension \$177.54	\$177.54
Indigent Relief 356.65	356.65
Hospital Bills 25.75	25.75
Grants Esler Hospital 100.00	100.00

\$869.94

##### PUBLIC WORKS

Streets 82.60, Sidewalks 33.10, Street Lightings 165.80	281.50
Hall 1.00	1.00
Wells 10.85	10.85
Workmanship Compensation Board 8.35	8.35
Repairing Agricultural Hall 77.50	77.50
	\$379.20

##### TRUST—MONEYS REMITTED

Social Service 27.70	27.70
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##### BALANCES DEC. 31st 1938 IN BANK

Municipal Account	621.23
Savings Account 650.66	650.66
Cemetery	45.81

##### TOTALS—IN BANK—CASH ON HAND

\$1317.73

\$2811.03

#### ASSETS

##### BALANCES DEC. 31st, 1938 (Municipal only)

Cemetery Acct.	\$16.75
Bank Balance December 31 1938 [Municipal]	621.23
Cash on Hand Dec. 31st, 1938 [Municipal]	29.09
Savings Certificates or other Securities	650.66
<b>Total</b>	<b>1317.73</b>

##### MUNICIPAL TAXES

Uncollected Taxes—Municipal	\$17020.18
<b>Total</b>	<b>17020.18</b>

##### FIXED ASSETS

Property Owned By Village—Land 50.00 Bldg. 250.00	
Other Property Fire & Office Equipment	450.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>700.00</b>

##### SUNDRY ASSETS (Municipal) Not Provided for

Uncollected Licenses	190.08
<b>Total</b>	<b>190.08</b>

##### UNCOLLECTED TRUST TAXES

Social Services 1326.70	1326.70
School [Arrears] 10238.52	10238.52
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11565.22</b>

\$20793.21

#### LIABILITIES

##### OUTSTANDING CHEQUES

Bank Overdraft, Dec. 31st, 1938	\$100.05
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##### ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Old Age Pensions 198.08	198.08
Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31 1938	\$198.08

##### Social Services Taxes \$1326.70

School Arrears 10238.52	10238.52
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$11565.22</b>

\$18919.06

\$20793.21

#### TAX STATEMENT

	Municipal	Social Service	School Arrears
Assessed Value for each Tax [net] Dollars only	71078.00	9296.00	
Rate of Taxation [mills on the Dollar]	10	84	
Current Taxes Levied [except School]	719.22	74.04	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1937, inc. Costs [for arrears reported]	16142.73	1182.05	9847.88
Penalties and Costs added in 1938	1313.00	96.12	390.61
Taxes Re-instated in 1938	21		
<b>TOTAL DUE</b>	<b>18176.06</b>	<b>1352.21</b>	<b>10238.52</b>
Collections in 1938, including Costs	1090.26	25.51	
Cancellation Authorized in 1938	51.99		
Discounts on Taxes in 1938	13.63		
<b>UNCOLLECTED TAXES DECEMBER 31, 1938</b>	<b>17020.18</b>	<b>1326.70</b>	<b>10238.52</b>
Collected in 1938 [as above]	25.51		
Trust Taxes Remitted in Excess of Collection December 31, 1937	34.06		
<b>TOTAL DUE [accounted for below]</b>	<b>79.57</b>		
Due to Village			1352.21

#### DETAILS OF ASSESSMENT

Gross Assessments	\$11253.79
Less exemptions	435.00
Net Assessment	10818.79
Mill Rate	.10
Bldgs. and Improvements at 60 and 2-3 value	69198.45
Less exemptions	74.00
Net Assessment	69124.45
Mill Rate	.10
Current Municipal Tax	719.22
Business (state basis of Levy) Gross assessment	9371.75
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$79823.95</b>
Taxes Collected in 1938	25.51, Uncollected 1326.70, Paid Prov. 29.70

#### STANDING OF LANDS BY VILLAGE

No. of Parcels 61, Value \$3675.00, Mun. Costs \$10,836.87, Prov. \$920.44, School \$6874.31, TOTAL Taxes	\$18,431.62
Standing at Dec. 31st, 1938	\$18,431.62

#### POPULATION and NUMBER of PARCELS

Estimate Population of Village	140
Number of Taxable Parcels	249
Total Number of Parcels	249

#### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I have audited the accounts of the Village of Chinook for the year ending December 31st, 1938, and have compared the said accounts with their relative vouchers and certify that in my opinion the foregoing financial statements are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial affairs of the Village, according to the best of my information, the explanations given to me, and as shown by the records, subject to any qualifications mentioned in Auditor's Special Report herewith.

The statistical information contained herein was obtained from the books and records of the Village, or from information supplied by officials of the Village.

Dated at Youngstown this 31st day of January, 1939

Signed R. B. Langley, Auditor

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